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CPA of Application No. 09/296,031

Filed: April 21, 1999

For: **Diagnosis and Treatment of
Neuroectodermal Tumors**

Examiner: **Shin-Lin Chen**

Group Art Unit: 1633

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION REQUEST

This is a request for filing a Continuation Prosecution Application under the Continued Application procedure of 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) of prior application 09/296,031 filed April 21, 1999 entitled Diagnosis and Treatment of Neuroectodermal Tumors.

1. Please change the attorney docket number to 051530-5004-01
2. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
3. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application and as amended in the Preliminary Amendment.

CLAIMS FOR FEE CALCULATION				
	Filed	Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 740.00
Total Claims	21 - 20 =	1	\$18.00 each =	+18.00
Independent Claims	1 - 3 =	0	\$80.00 each =	+0.00
Multiple dependent claims			\$270.00	+280.00
Sub-Total				=1038.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity				-519.00
Total Filing Fee				\$519.00

4. Small entity status is claimed and a small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and is still proper and desired.

5. Extension of Time – On Friday, April 12, 2002, Applicants submitted an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 with a petition for a request for a five-month extension of time from November 13, 2001

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to April 13, 2002. Accordingly, Applicants do not believe additional extension of time fees are due with the filing of this Continued Application Request. However, if the Applicants have inadvertently overlooked any additional fees, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account 50-0310.

6. Fee Payment – The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$519.00** for the required fees (\$370.00 for the filing fee, \$9.00 for the additional claim fee, and \$140.00 for the multiple dependent claim fee) to Deposit Account **50-0310**. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees as are necessary to Deposit Account 50-0310.

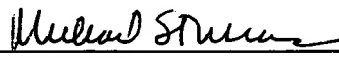
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8. **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **Constructive Petition for Extension of Time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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